IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

Writ Petition No. 6796 of 2004

Shri Kulkarni Ganesh Bhaskar ..Petitioner

vs.

1. The Senior Post Master
and others ..Respondents

Shri I.M.Khairdi for petitioner
Smt.S.S.Bhende, A.G.P. for respondent no.3

**CORAM: A.P.SHAH AND**
**S.C.DHARMADHIKARI JJ**
**8th OCTOBER, 2004**

**P.C.**

1. Heard Advocates.

2. The petitioner's father was employeed in post office Barshi and he took voluntary retirment in 1993. The claim for compassionate appointment has been made for the first time in 2000 and the present petition is filed in 2004. It is well settled that object of making appointment on compassionate grounds is to rehabilitate the family in distress of the deceased employee who dies in harness. The belated claim which is made after 11 years is clearly not maintainable.

3. The petition is dismissed.